



Don't trash that cash

It costs money to throw away trash. However, the City makes money when you recycle. This money is used to support City services.

The following items can be recycled into one container.

All Paper, All colors (*not contaminated by food,*) (*staples and paper clips OK,*)
Cardboard, Paperboard (*cereal boxes, shoe boxes, frozen food boxes,*)
Paper Bags, Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs, Paperback Books,
All mail, Envelopes of all types,
Plastic Bottles and Containers, Plastic Bleach/Detergent, Shampoo,
Milk Jugs, Milk and Juice Cartons,
Soda, Juice, and Water Bottles (*glass, plastic or paperboard,*)
Clean Food Containers (*cottage cheese, margarine, yogurt,*)
All Glass Bottles/Jars (*any colors, caps and neck rings OK,*)
Aluminum (*clean pie plates/trays/foil,*)
All Metal Cans (*tin/steel/aluminum,*)
Empty Aerosol Cans (*paint/hairspray/cleaners.*) No propane or butane.

Do NOT recycle

Plastic Bags, Plastic Wrappers, Cellophane (*candy, cookie wrappers,*)
Wax Paper, Rigid Plastic (*Chairs/toys,*)
Paper Towels, Paper Cups, Napkins or Toilet Paper (*cardboard core OK,*).
Light Bulbs/Windows (*flourescent bulbs are recyclable at DPW Yard,*)
Dishes, Ceramics or Pyrex,
Foam Packaging, No Styrofoam,
Fabric,
Anything containing Grease or Food Waste,
Pizza Delivery Boxes, Chinese Food Containers.



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Questions?

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